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1. RED CROSS REPRESENTATIVES OF SOUTH AND NORTH KOREA HELD FIRST WORKING-LEVEL SESSION AT ALTERNATE CHIEF DELEGATE LEVEL JULY 10 IN PANMUNJOM. SOUTH DELEGATION CONSISTED OF ALTERNATE CHIEF DELEGATE KIM YON-CHU AND DELEGATES KIM TAL-SUL AND CHONG CHOO-NYUN. NORTH WAS REPRESENTED BY ALTERNATE CHIEF DELEGATE CHU CHANG-CHUN AND DELEGATES CHO MYONG-IL AND KIM RYON-CHU. FOUR STAFF MEMBERS FROM EACH SIDE ALSO PARTICIPATED IN THE MEETING, WHICH LASTED TWO HOURS.

2. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, SOUTH SIDE PROPOSED TRACING WHEREABOUTS OF AGED PARENTS AS FIRST STEP IN REUNITING DISPERSED FAMILIES. CHONG CHOO-NYUN, WHO IS ALSO SPOKESMAN FOR SOUTH, TOLD PRESS AFTER MEETING THAT NORTH HAD MADE NO EFFORT TO LISTEN TO THE SOUTH PROPOSAL. SOUTH ALSO PROPOSED HOLDING EIGHTH PLENARY CONFERENCE IN SEOUL ON AUGUST 30 BUT NORTH UNCLASSIFIED

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DID NOT ACCEPT, ACCORDING TO PRESS. PRESS REPORTED

THAT SOUTH DELEGATION DEMANDED THAT PYONGYANG RETURN
SURVIVORS OF ROK MARITIME POLICE BOAT SUNK BY NORTH
JUNE 28 AND DENOUNCED NORTH FOR ATTACKING THE
VESSEL.

3. TWO SIDES AGREED TO HOLD SECOND WORKING-LEVEL
MEETING ON JULY 24.
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